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Honorable Harris Wofford
United States Senator
9456 Green Federal Building
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Dear Senator Wofford:

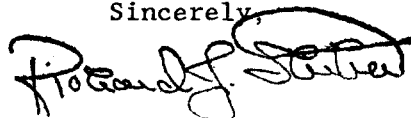
This is in reply to your letter of March 1, 1993, in which you inquired on behalf of your constituent, Edward G. Mekel, regarding the Notice of Proposed Rule Making (Notice) in PR Docket No. 92-235, 57 FR 54034 (1992). This Notice proposes comprehensive changes to the Commission's Rules governing the private land mobile radio services operating in the frequency bands below 512 MHz.

Your constituent is specifically concerned about the impact of these changes on radio control (R/C) hobby users. Enclosed is a discussion paper concerning our proposals for the 72-76 MHz band. In short, we expect there would be no adverse impact on R/C operations because of any proposal contained in the Notice.

We are, of course, sensitive to the concerns of both users of private land mobile radio spectrum and R/C hobbyists. We will, therefore, take your constituent's concerns into account when we develop final rules in this proceeding. As indicated in the Notice, we remain convinced that without significant regulatory change in radio operations in the bands below 512 MHz, the quality of communications in the private land mobile radio services will continue to deteriorate to the point of endangering public safety and the national economy.

We want to thank you for your interest in this proceeding. Your constituent's letter will be included in the record of the proceeding. We expect final rules to be issued in 1994.

Sincerely,



Richard J. Shiben
Chief, Land Mobile & Microwave Division
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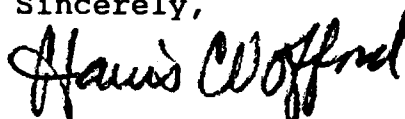
Dear Sir:

The attached correspondence from Edward G Mekel is submitted for your consideration, and to ask that the points raised therein be reviewed.

If you will advise me in writing of your action in this matter and have the letter returned to me with your reply, I will be most appreciative.

In responding, please direct the reply to: Senator Harris Wofford, 9456 Green Federal Building, 600 Arch Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19106. Please mark the reply to the attention of Iris Lozada.

Sincerely,



Harris Wofford

Enclosure

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